

**TABLE 16: TIMELINE FOR ELIGIBLE HOSPITALS TO AVOID PAYMENT ADJUSTMENT**

<b>Hospital Payment Adjustment Year (Fiscal Year)</b>	<b>Demonstrate MU during EHR Reporting Period 2 Years Prior to Year of Payment Adjustment</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>For An Eligible Hospital Demonstrating Meaningful Use for the First Time in the Year Prior to the Payment Adjustment Year Use a Continuous 90-Day Reporting Period Beginning No Later Than:</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>Apply For An Exception No Later Than:</b>
2015	FY 2013 (with submission no later than November 30, 2013 )		April 2, 2014 (with submission no later than July 1, 2014)		April 1, 2014
2016	FY 2014 (with submission no later than November 30, 2014)		April 2, 2015 (with submission no later than July 1, 2015)		April 1, 2015
2017	FY 2015 (with submission no later than November 30, 2015)		April 2, 2016 (with submission no later than July 1, 2016)		April 1, 2016
2018	FY 2016 (with submission no later than November 30, 2016)		April 2, 2017 (with submission no later than July 1, 2017)		April 1, 2017
2019	FY 2017 (with submission no later than November 30, 2017)		April 2, 2018 (with submission no later than July 1, 2018)		April 1, 2018

Notes: (FY refers to the Federal fiscal year: October 1 to September 30. For example, FY 2015 is October 1, 2014 through September 30, 2015.)

The timelines for FY 2020 and subsequent fiscal years follow the same pattern.